

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant	: Szpirer et al.
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For	: POISON/ANTIDOTE GENETIC SYSTEMS FOR THE SELECTION OF GENETICALLY MODIFIED EUCARYOTE CELLS OR ORGANISMS
Examiner	: Kevin Kai Hill
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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION****Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This is a response to the non-final Office Action issued May 28, 2009 in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants request that the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Summary of Interview** begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.